

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

WEST COAST LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, :

Plaintiff, :

v. :

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., :
as securities intermediary, and DINA LOSH, :

Defendants. :

Case No. 3:20-cv-04350

AND ORDER
JOINT STIPULATION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS

Plaintiff, West Coast Life Insurance Company (“West Coast Life”), and Defendants, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. (“Wells Fargo”) and Dina Losh, by and through undersigned counsel, jointly stipulate to stay these proceedings pending settlement discussions and state as follows:

1. On September 27, 2023, West Coast Life, Wells Fargo, and Ms. Losh (collectively, the “Parties”) participated in a settlement conference (the “Settlement Conference”) before the Honorable Douglas Arpert. The Parties were unable to reach a settlement at that time. During the Settlement Conference, West Coast Life broached a settlement topic which Wells Fargo was not prepared to discuss during the Settlement Conference.
2. West Coast Life and Wells Fargo have conferred since the Settlement Conference, and the Parties are endeavoring to further explore settlement.

The nature of the settlement discussions requires that West Coast Life and Wells Fargo work cooperatively for a period of 90 days to identify issues for resolution.

3. The Parties agree that it is in the best interest of the Parties and judicial economy that this matter be stayed in its entirety pending settlement discussions between West Coast Life and Wells Fargo. In the event the parties are unable to resolve this matter, the Parties will report to the Court no later than January 25, 2024 with a proposed date for the Final Pretrial Conference.

Accordingly, the Parties respectfully request that the Court stay all proceedings.

Dated: October 19, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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The Clerk shall terminate the pending motion for reconsideration [ECF no. 118] subject to reinstatement if this matter is not resolved; and the Clerk shall administratively terminate this case from the Court's active docket during the period of this stay.

*So Ordered—
S. J. [Signature]
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